CITY OF TORRANCE 2014 GRANT PROGRAM FOR NON-PROFIT SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCIES

The City of Torrance announces a grant program for Non-Profit Social Service Agencies serving Torrance residents. A total of \$20,000 has been allocated by the City Council for the grants. No grant amount awarded shall exceed \$7,500.

AREAS OF EMPHASIS:

- Youth -- Programs/Projects for infants, toddlers, preschoolers, adolescents, or teens.
- Health Care -- Programs/Projects such as chemical dependency, mental health counseling, or general health care.
- Human Services -- Programs/Projects such as those serving single parents, runaways, individuals with disabilities, victims of domestic violence; or those providing parenting or senior citizen services.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR GRANTS:

- The Social Service Agency must provide service to Torrance residents.
- An application must be completed and filed by posted deadline. Only one application per organization will be accepted for consideration.
- Social Service Agencies seeking grant funding <u>must provide</u> with the application either a copy of proof of non-profit status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or <u>a copy of your IRS</u> determination letter of 501 (c) (3) Non-profit Status.

EVALUATION CRITERIA:

- Use of funds for a particular program or project for client services, rather than for general support of the agency.
- Ability to demonstrate evidence of unmet need for which the grant funding is being sought.
- Appropriateness and clarity of scope regarding the project or program to be funded.
- History of past performance and service by the applicant agency.
- The availability of the service to Torrance residents.
- Impact of grant on agency.

NOTE: SERVICES AND FACILITY MUST BE ACCESSIBLE TO INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES.

DEADLINE -- Wednesday, September 18, 2013 at 4:00 p.m.

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APPLICATION DEADLINE AND INSTRUCTIONS

Before completing your application, please read all the following instructions:

- 1. **DEADLINE** for filing is **WEDNESDAY**, **SEPTEMBER 18, 2013 at 4:00 P.M.**
- The Grant Application should be delivered by mail or by a representative of the applying agency to the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 3031 Torrance Blvd. If you have any questions, please contact the *Community* Services Department, Recreation Services Division, Attention: Ken Kelso, Sr. Recreation Supervisor at (310) 618-2935.
- Grant Applications must be in the City Clerk's Office by the deadline. NO LATE APPLICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.
- 4. The summary of the project or program description for which funding is requested must be complete and in the space provided.
- 5. Please be brief. Answer questions in the space provided. Submit only the application and a copy of 501 (c) (3) status.
- 6. Answer all questions; state "not applicable" (N/A) if a question does not apply to your agency or project.
- 7. An application will be disqualified if the agency does not meet the qualification requirements, or if the proposed Project/Program does not fall within the scope of the Grant Program.
- 8. In addition to the application, please **PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING**:

A copy of your IRS determination letter of **501 (c) (3) non-profit status.**

NOTE: SUBMIT <u>ONLY</u> THE APPLICATION AND IRS LETTER OF 501 (c) (3) NON-PROFIT STATUS.

- 9. Qualifying agencies will be invited to interview sessions in October and/or November.
- 10. Grant recommendations will be based on information obtained through the application <u>and</u> interview process.
- 11. The Torrance City Council will determine grant awards after receiving the recommendations of the Torrance Parks and Recreation Commission and of the Torrance Community Services Department.
- 12. The grant must be used within the grant period and for the purpose specified on the application.
- 13. **Financial and Narrative Reports** on the grant project/program are mandatory, and must be submitted no later than one year after receipt of the grant.

NOTE: The City is not responsible for notifying agencies of the availability of grants, or for the mailing out of grant applications. Each agency is responsible for obtaining and submitting grant information.

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NON-PROFIT AGENCY GRANT APPLICATION - 2014

I. SUMMARY INFORMATION

A. AGENCY APPLICANT INFORMATION Agency Legal Name ______ Phone Number _____ Name of Presenter _____ Title of Presenter _____ Phone Number _____ E-mail: Website: B. **GENERAL CATEGORY UNDER WHICH SUPPORT IS REQUESTED:** Health Care_____ Human Services C. PROGRAM/PROJECT TITLE D. DESCRIBE THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE REQUESTED FUNDS ARE TO BE USED. (Please limit to space provided; NO ATTACHMENTS.)

TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED FROM CITY OF TORRANCE (not to exceed \$7,500) \$_____

Signature of Authorizing Official

TYPE OR PRINT NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZING OFFICIAL:

E.

F.

Date

II. GENERAL AGENCY INFORMATION

FEDERAL IDENTIFICATION # B. TOTAL AGENCY EXPENDITURES			STATE IDENTIFICATION # C. TOTAL AGENCY INCOME SOURCES		
Salaries & Benefits	\$	\$	Grants-Governmental	\$	\$
Operating Expenses	\$		Grants- Private Foundations	\$	\$
Capital Equipment		\$	Donations	\$	\$
Capital Improvements	\$		Fund-raising	\$	\$
TOTAL:	\$	\$	Fees	\$	\$
			Government- Subventions	\$	\$
			Service Contracts	\$	\$
			Other	\$	\$
			TOTAL:	\$	\$
D. ARE YOUR AGEN DISABILITIES?	CY'S SERVI	CES AND FAC	EILITIES ACCESSIBLE	E TO INDI\	/IDUALS WITH
	_	YES	NO		
E. TOTAL NUMBER OF	CURRENT S	TAFF			
			Contractors	\	. 1

III. PROGRAM INFORMATION

(Please address the following questions in the space provided.)

Α.	Statement of Purpose:	What need does this Prog	ram/Project address?	
В.	What specific activities	of the Program/Project wi	II be conducted to addr	ess this need?
C.	List any collaborative Program/Project.	agencies, organizations,	and/or institutions at	filiated with this
D.	Indicate age group(s) y Youth	ou expect this Program/Pr	oject to service during Seniors	-
E.	How many Torrance Re Actual FY 2012/2013	esidents will be served by t	his program/project? Projected FY 2013/20	014

IV. PROGRAM/PROJECT BUDGET SHEET **BUDGET** (Direct Cost of Program/Project) **Cost Estimate** PERSONNEL: Current Payroll Expenses for this Program/Project: Projected Payroll Expenses for this Program/Project: Supplies and Materials for this Program/Project: Equipment for this Program/Project: Construction for this Program/Project: OTHER COSTS FOR THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT (please explain): **Total Cost: Amount requested from City of Torrance: Agency Cost:**

V. RESOURCES

Would you do this program/project if the City did not provide funding, or funded less than the amount requested?

Yes:____ No:____

VI. PROOF OF 501 (c) (3) NON-PROFIT STATUS

Attach a copy of your IRS Determination Letter of your 501(c) (3) Non-Profit Status.